



GREAT LAKES
WALDORF
INSTITUTE

NEW LEADERS ACADEMY

When Leaders Find Their Center, Schools Find Their Way

July 2026 - May 2027

A full-year leadership development course designed to support evolving leaders in embodied, resilient, and values-driven leadership practices.

Credit hours for the completion of the New Leaders Academy may be applied AWSNA's leadership and development path.



Program Dates

IN-PERSON LEADERS' RETREAT

Friday, July 10, 8 AM CDT through Sunday, July 12, noon CDT at Mount Mary University, Milwaukee, WI

VIRTUAL SESSIONS

All sessions are on Tuesdays at:

4 - 6 PT / 5 - 7 MT / 6 - 8 CT / 7 - 9 ET

2026

August 11 and 25
 September 8 and 22
 October 6 and 20
 November 3 and 17
 December 1 and 15

2027

January 12 and 26
 February 9 and 23
 March 9 and 23
 April 6 and 20
 May 4 and 18

Enrollment

Individual Enrollment \$3,500
Collegial Enrollment (multiple participants from one institution)
 \$3,000/participant

FACILITATOR

KIM RICHARDSON

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 Founder of Embodied Collaborative

